

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Sterling et al.
App. No	:	10/825,085
Filed	:	April 15, 2004
For	:	METHOD OF DETERMINING ANALYTE CONCENTRATION IN A SAMPLE USING INFRARED TRANSMISSION DATA
Art Unit	:	2877
Examiner	:	Jarreas C. Underwood

**INTERVIEW SUMMARY AND COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF
REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Summary of Interview begins on page 2 of this paper.

Comments on Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance begin on page 3 of this paper.

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SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the courtesy of the telephone interview of April 23, 2007. The Examiner proposed to amend claim 1, replacing “by a scaling factor, the scaling factor” with “by a scaling factor, the scaling factor allowing for calculation of a pathlength-independent quantity.” This amendment was agreed to. It was also agreed to cancel claim 49 to expedite issuance.